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Applicant:	Thomas J. Chambers et al.	Art Unit:	1645
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REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the final Office Action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned case on April 11, 2003, as well as the Advisory Action that was mailed on June 10, 2003, applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks. These Amendments and Remarks overlap with those that were submitted previously, but the previous Amendment has not yet been entered, because it was submitted in reply to a final Office Action, in the absence of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). This reply is being filed with an RCE and, thus, applicants respectfully request that the Amendment be entered.